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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Yasuo SUZUKI,

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FOR:

ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC PHOTORECEPTOR AND ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC IMAGE FORMING

METHOD AND APPARATUS USING THE PHOTORECEPTOR

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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## **AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2004, please reconsider the application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Applicants submit herewith the "Amendment of the Claims" section previously submitted on May 27, 2004. In Claims 39, 41, 43 and 45, formula (VIII) was inadvertently replaced by formula (VII). The corrected Claims are submitted herewith.

## **AMENDMENT**

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

The Basis for Amendment begins on page 19 of this paper.